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FROM YOUR EDITOR

Hello Fellow Members
I hope everyone is having a great summer
and that you received your MD TAMS 45th
Birthday Poker Chip.

IF YOU HAVE CHANGED YOUR MAILING ADDRESS PLEASE LET ME KNOW.

Our Journal is doing fine but I can always use more articles.
Thanks Jane

FROM YOUR PRESIDENT

Once again, I would like to thank our Journal editor, Jane Sears, for running a special summer issue in July. In the Summer edition I outlined our club's current condition & invited members to provide ideas on how we could make our club more relevant. Unfortunately, only 2 members provided input. Aaron Packard, MD TAM's webmaster suggested our creating a Facebook page where we could provide up-to-date information & people could interact more easily. Also, Aaron suggested setting up a zoom network where members could engage in video meetings. Bob Carini, who lives in Louisville, KY also mentioned meeting remotely. It would be a good way for us to see & speak to each other. I confess a lack of technical knowledge but would appreciate anyone who would like to get these ideas put into motion.

I'd still like for us to have an actual physical meeting so I will be pursuing a meeting hall in the Annapolis area which will be more centrally located for our membership. If things go as planned the announcement of a time & place for a Spring meeting will be in the December/Winter issue of the Journal.

We are still urging our younger members to step-up into leadership roles. We all want to see MD TAMS reach its 50-year anniversary in 5 years, but this won't happen unless more people take an active role.

There was a mention in the special summer issue about Ed Craig's collection. The family wants to sell/ disperse everything relating to exonumia. The collection is extensive & unorganized. Ed acquired tons of collectables: tokens (metal, plastic, wood, food stamps, pogs, etc.), medals, elongates, encased coins, picker's checks, labels, poker chips, ephemera... We have been moving things out of Ed's house for over a month & still have about ½ of it to go (I'm running out of space to put it). While some things have been spoken for there's plenty left to go around. So please contact me if you are looking for anything special.

A local coin dealer last week told me that recently both the Salisbury & Cambridge Coin Clubs have folded. There are still shows in Cambridge thanks to Erick Windsor, but the clubs are gone. Let's not let this happen to MD TAMS.



President Bill Miller





MORITZ H. WEIL

By Jane Sears LM12



obv: MORITZ H. WEIL, / 19 / NORTH / FREDERICK / ST. / BALTIMORE.

rev: GOOD FOR / 5 / CENTS / KOEHLER ("KOEHLER" tiny letters and reversed)

round brass 22mm (Miller 178) W30

"Maryland Merchant Tokens" – MD TAMS & David E. Schenkman 1986

According to Duffield this merchant operated a hotel at 19 N. Frederick St. from 1863 to 1868. The tokens were probably used in the hotel's restaurant or saloon. In the late 1860's Weil relocated to 222 Broadway St. where he sold liquors. (Duffield 151) Die maker Francis X. Koehler, Baltimore, MD.

Further research put Moritz H. Weil operating his tavern from 1862 to 1868 at 19 N. Frederick St. He was born in Neustadt, Mecklenburg-Schwerin and died in Baltimore on November 12, 1885

BALTIMORE CITY DIRECTORIES

1847-48	no		
1849-50	Marcus Weil	cap maker	148 Canton Ave
1851	Morris Weil	peddler	192 e Lombard
1853-54	Morris H. Weil	dry goods deal	Lombard e Caroline
1855-56	Mauritz Weil	dry goods dealer	663 Baltimore
1856-57	Mauritz H. Weil	cap store	171 w Pratt
1858-59	Maruitz H. Weil	cigar maker	21 n Eden
1860	Mauritz H. Weil	cigar maker	25 n Eden
1863-64	Mauritz H. Weil	tavern	19 n Frederick
	H M Weil	Lager Beer Saloon	19 n Frederick
1864	Mauritz H. Weil	tavern	19 n Frederick
1865-66	no		
1867-68	Moritz H. Weil	lager beer	19 n Frederick
1868-69	Moritz H. Weil	city tax office	11 n Caroline
1869	Moritz H. Weil	city tax office	11 n Caroline
1870	Moritz H. Weil	of tax dep't	11 n Caroline
1871	Moritz H. Weil	liquors	222 s Broadway
1872-1886	Moritz H. Weil	liquors	222 s Broadway

U.S. IRS TAX ASSESSENT LISTS 1863-1913

On July 1, 1862, Congress passed the Internal Revenue Act, creating the Bureau of Internal Revenue (later renamed to the Internal Revenue Service). This act was intended to "provide Internal Revenue to support the Government and to pay interest on the "Public Debt". Instituted in the height of the Civil War, the "Public Debt" at the time primarily consisted of war expenses.

1862 September 1	Weil, H.M.	19 Frederick	Retail liquor
	Weil, H.M.	19 Frederick	Billiard table
1863 September	Weil, M.H.	19 Frederick	Retail liquor

1864 May	Weil, M.H.	19 Frederick	Retail Dealer liquor
1864 July	Weil, M.H.	19 Frederick	Retail Dealer liquor
1865 May	Weil, M.H.	19 n. Frederick	Retail liquor
1866 May	Weil, Henry	223 Pa	Retail liquor
		(Pennsylvania Ave)	-
1866 May	Weil, M.H.	19 n Frederick	Gold watch
	Weil, M.H.	19 n Frederick	Retail liquor

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COURTS

20 February 1865 (Baltimore Sun) Criminal Court - Moritz Weil, indicted for selling liquor on Sunday, (three counts,) was released on giving \$1,500 bail - \$500 in each count. William Leepe, 12 North Frederick Street, becoming his security.

1 November 1865 (Baltimore Sun) Civil Court - Judge Alexander - Moritz H. Weil vs the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore - bill to restrain defendant from issuing execution to enforce payment of any judgments of a justice of the peace; affirmed by the Criminal Court, against complainant for \$20 fine and costs in each of two cases, for violation of an ordinance of the city relating to the keeping of bagatelle tables, until the determination of the law of the case by the court of Appeals. Hearing fixed for November 13th.

1 December 1865 (the Sun)

Circuit Court - Moriz H. Weils vs the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore

This was a bill for injunction to delay execution on two judgments of a justice of the peace of \$20 each, against complainant for alleged violation of the ordinance to restrain gambling, which judgments are affirmed on appeal by the Circuit Court. The complainant sought a still forth appeal to the Court of Appeals, and tendered bond to stay execution, which was denied by the Criminal Court.

US CENSUS

1850 Baltimore City

Maurice Weil 35 peddler Germany 1815

1860 Baltimore City

Morris H. Weil 41 tavern keeper Mecklenburg 1819

1870 Baltimore City

Morris Weil 50 liquor dealer Mecklenburg 1820

1880 Baltimore City 222 east side Broadway

Morris Weil 61 liquor store Hamburg (born 1819)

OBITUARY FOR MR. WEIL

13 November 1885 Sun newspaper

Mr. Moritz H. Weil died yesterday at his residence, No. 222 South Broadway, in the 67th year of his age. Mr. Weil was born at Neustadt, Mecklenburg-Schwerin, July, 1823. He had been a resident of Baltimore 37 years. He was a Mexican War veteran, a bailiff in the tax office under Jas. H. Barney, a member of Jedidjah Lodge, I.O.B.B., a member of the United Hebrew Beneficial Society, of the Imp. Order of Free Sons of Israel, and of Pythagorian Lodge, Knights of Pythias.



NO NOVEMBER MEETING

MONTGOMERY COUNTY FAIR

by Jane Sears LM12





Obv: 25TH ANNIVERSARY / 1949 - 1973 / GAITHERSBURG, MARYLAND

Rev: MARYLAND'S LEADING COUNTRY FAIR / MONTGOMERY / COUNTY / FAIR / AUG. 20-25 1973

round bronze

The Montgomery County Agricultural Fair founded in 1949 in Rockville, MD. The organizers started it as a way for the 4-H and FFA members to exhibit their garden and home economics projects

and prize livestock for the community to see. The fair is today one of the largest county fairs in the State of Maryland. The Montgomery County Agricultural Fair is held in mid-August involving nine days. The fairground is located at 16 Chestnut Street, Gaithersburg, MD.

The MCAC celebrated its 75th Celebration on August 9 – 17 2024. Their souvenir booth sold Limited

Edition 75th Jubilee Souvenirs coin. They were pre-ordered and were available for pick-up at their Souvenir Booth located on the lower grounds.

Obv: MARYLAND LEADING COUNTY FAIR / 75 / in top circle MONTROMERY COUNTY / ferries wheel in center / in bottom circle FOUNDED 1979 / AUGUST 9 – 17, 2024

Rev: 75TH ANNIVERSARY / 1949 - 2024 / (harvest and MD flag) GAITHERSBURG, MARYLAND

75TH **JUBILLE LIMITED EDITION** Silver Coin **\$75.00** and 1 Tory ounce of pure silver. (150 made) box to left with issued number



LIMITED EDITION

4 coin set includes 1 Bronze 25th Anniversary coin, 1 Silver 25th Anniversary coin, 1 Gold 50th Anniversary Coin, and 1 Pure Silver 75th Anniversary coin. Cost **\$150.00**

The 4 coin set was only available while supplies last. They were pre-ordered. Order sets could be available for pick up at the Fair Office -16 Chestnut Street, Gaithersburg, MD 20877.

On August 8-16, 2025 Montgomery County Fair will celebrate its 76^{th} Fair.

THE GLIDDEN COMPANY



Obv: ADRIAN D. JOYCE – 1872-1954 (portrait of Adrian D. Joyce, President of the company from 1917 to

1950)

Rev: THE GLIDDEN COMPANY / COMMEMORATING / THE DEDICATION / OF THE / ADRIAN JOYCE WORKS / BALTIMORE, MD. / SEPTEMBER 26, / 1956

round bronze 76mm

Struck by the Medallic Art Company, New York and designed by Ralph J. Menconi.

Adrian D. Joyce was born on November 18, 1872 in Berner County, Ohio. He started working for the Sherwin-Williams Co. in Michigan on November 1, 1902. In 1917 he purchased the Glidden Varnish Co. of Cleveland Ohio and it was incorporated in 1917 and renamed it to the Glidden Company. Adrian D. Joyce was president of the company from it founding until 1947 when he was elected chairman of the board of directors in 1947. Adrian Joyce dies on August 25, 1954 at the age of 81 years.

Wards Chapel United Methodist Church



OBV: WARD CHAPEL / UNITED METHODIST CHURCH REV: IN GOD WE TRUST / (CROSS & FLAME) 1790-1990

round brass 23mm

The first recorded preacher of the church was Pastor Ward in 1790. From 1802 to 1845 services were held at the New Tavern in Randallstown. A log chapel was built on a lot given by Robert and Mary Ward. That building was replaced by a stone building at 11023 Liberty Road that was dedicated on May 30, 1871

Notes from the Eastern Shore

by Bill Miller R-109

Tokens of the Newbridge, MD Cannery

"Newbridge" is a location in Caroline County on Maryland's Eastern Shore. It is on MD Rte. 328 about midway between Denton & Easton on Tuckahoe Creek. Originally called Horsey's Landing the name changed when the "New Wooden Bridge" was completed in 1897.

Between 1892-1955 Newbridge was home to a tomato cannery housing 5 different occupants: Jacob Andrew, Harry A. Roe, Draper & Slaughter, George H. Wilson, & Phillips Packing Co.

Jacob Andrews, the first owner, moved from American Corners where he had canned from 1888-1891. The location on the Tuckahoe gave Andrews a better transportation option, as Tuckahoe Creek emptied into the Choptank River. Andrews was in business from 1892-1897. There are no known tokens from this operation.

Andrews sold the property to H. A. Roe, a prominent Denton businessman who owned or leased several canneries on the Delmarva Peninsula. Roe operated the cannery from 1898-1906.



Both T.S. Slaughter & W.P. Draper had been supervisors at canneries owned by Roe before taking over the Newbridge cannery in 1909. Their tenure lasted 12 years, going bankrupt in 1920.





G.H. Wilson purchased the property & began canning in 1921. He had moved to Caroline County from Harford County as a cannery supervisor & gradually worked his way up to owner. He died in 1929.





The Phillips Packing Co. of Cambridge, MD bought the cannery from Wilson's estate. The Newbridge cannery would be one of 3 Phillips plants operating out of Caroline County (the other 2 being in West Denton & Williston). All 3 were purchased around the same time & had the advantage of being up-river from the main Cambridge facilities. The business lasted for 25 years, from 1930-1955.

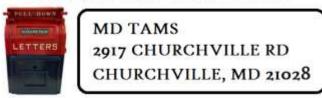




It is worth noting that the Draper & Slaughter & G.H. Wilson tokens are self-identified as being from 'Denton, MD'. Denton was the local post office address & both had offices there, while the Phillips tokens carry the 'Newbridge' location. The Roe tokens have no location & could have been used at any of Roe's canneries.

By the 1950s the tomato canning business in Caroline County was dying out & no one bothered to continue operations. Today, crossing the modern bridge one can see some old pilings & concrete slabs along the Caroline side of the Tuckahoe, the only visual evidence of the businesses that operated there for over 60 years.

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- ED CRAIG'S TOKEN & MEDAL COLLECTION will soon be for sale.
- Please send questions, want lists, etc. to:

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Collecting U.S. Tokens: Challenges and Rewards PART 4 ROBERT D. LEONARD JR.

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THE ROLL CALL OF THE STATES

Tokens have been issued in every state in the Union, Puerto Rico, and most territories before they achieved statehood. So wherever one lives, there is a specialty available in the tokens of one's own locality. Unfortunately, out of the vast sea of American tokens only a fraction have been catalogued, and for one fifth of the states nothing at all is available. For those states that have listings, no catalog is quite complete; I estimate that coverage ranges from close to 100% for romantic, heavily-studied places like Alaska and Puerto Rico to about 50% for a large state like Illinois. But this opportunity for original contribution to the study of American tokens is part of the appeal of the hobby, and many catalogers are working busily to remedy this deficiency.

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ALASKA

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ARIZONA

Hal Birt, Jr., Arizona Tokens and Scrip, 1990.

ARKANSAS

Tom H. Robinson, Arkansas Merchant Tokens, 1985.

CALIFORNIA

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CONNECTICUT

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DELAWARE

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FLORIDA

C.R. Clark, Florida Tokens, 1990.

GEORGIA

Randall D. Partin and James D. Partin, Georgia Trade Tokens, 1990.

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Donald Medcalf and Ronald Russell, Hawaiian Money, 1978.

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Ore H. Vacketta, Trade Tokens of Illinois, 2nd Ed., 1983.

INDIANA

Lloyd Wagaman, Indiana Trade Tokens, 1981.

IOWA

Lewis K. Ferguson, Iowa Trade Tokens, 2nd Ed., 1984.

KANSAS

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KENTUCKY

No catalog available.

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MAINE

No catalog available.

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Malcolm Storer, Numismatics of Massachusetts, 1923.

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Daniel C. Johnson, *Minnesota Trade Tokens*, 1974; Richard W. McFarran and Norman G. Peterson, *The Maverick Tokens of Minnesota*, 1990.

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George P. Chatham, Brozenes and Doodlum - Private Money in Mississippi, 1990.

MISSOURI

No catalog available.

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Paul A. Cunningham, *Nebraska Tokens* (Xerox copy of dealer's price list, about 230 pp.); George Hosek, *1996 Nebraska Trade Tokens, Town/Place Rarity Listing, and Other Exonumia*, 6th Ed., 1996; George Hosek, *Nebraska Maverick Trade Tokens Attributed*, 1998.

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Len Hoskins, John Schilling and Hal Dunn, *Nevada Trade Tokens*, 1990 (does not include modern casino tokens); B&V Coins, *Gaming Tokens of Nevada*, 1998.

NEW HAMPSHIRE

No catalog available.

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Rocco DiGiacomo, Listing of New Jersey Tokens, July 1993.

NEW MEXICO

John H. Schilling and Connie Schilling, Catalog of New Mexico Trade Tokens, 1995.

NEW YORK

Edgar H. Adams, New York Storecards, 1954 (18th and 19th century only); Wayte Raymond, Early New York City and State Merchant's Tokens. 1789-1859, 1936.

NORTH CAROLINA

No catalog available.

NORTH DAKOTA

Norman G. Peterson and Norman K. Johnson, North Dakota Merchant Tokens, 1992.

OHIO

Gaylor Lipscomb, Ohio Merchant Tokens, 2nd Ed., 1994.

OKLAHOMA (Including Indian Territory)

Lloyd C. Walker, Catalog of Oklahoma Tokens, 1978.

OREGON

James Hemphill, Oregon Trade Tokens, 1992.

PENNSYLVANIA

No catalog available.

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Efraín Archilla-Diez, Catálogo Numismático de Puerto Rico, Volumen I: Riles, Vales, Chapas y Fichas, 1990; D. Vaia, Plantation Tokens of Puerto Rico, 1980; D. Vaia, The Tokens of Puerto Rico, 1976; Edward H. Roehrs, Historia Monetaria de Puerto Rico, 1964; Maurice L. Gould and Lincoln Higgie, The Money of Puerto Rico, 1962. While Archilla-Diez's catalog is the most comprehensive, each work contains information not found in any other!

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Horatio Robinson Storer, The Medals and Tokens of Rhode Island, 1895.

SOUTH CAROLINA

Tony Chibbaro, South Carolina Tokens, 1990.

SOUTH DAKOTA

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UTAH

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VERMONT

No catalog available.

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WASHINGTON

Al Erickson, Washington State Trade Tokens, 1998; Northwest Token and Medal Society, A Trial Listing of Washington State Scrip, 2 vol. 1979-n.d.

WEST VIRGINIA

Catalog in preparation.

WISCONSIN

Gerald E. Johnson, Trade Tokens of Wisconsin, 1993.

WYOMING

No catalog available.

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PRE-1900 TOKENS, BY PERIOD

Russell Rulau, Standard Catalog of United States Tokens, 1700-1900, 2nd Ed., 1997.

EARLY AMERICAN TOKENS, 1700-1832

Russell Rulau, Early American Tokens, 3rd Ed., 1991.

HARD TIMES TOKENS, 1832-1844

Russell Rulau, Hard Times Tokens, 6th Ed., 1996.

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Walter Breen with the collaboration of Ronald J. Gillio, *California Pioneer Fractional Gold*, 1983; R. H. Burnie, *Small California and Territorial Gold Coins: Quarter Dollars, Half Dollars, Dollars*, 1955.

CIVIL WAR TOKENS, 1861-1865

Civil War Token Society, George Fuld, and Melvin Fuld, *Patriotic Civil War Tokens*, 1984; George Fuld and Melvin Fuld, *U.S. Civil War Storecards*, 1975; David E. Schenkman, *Civil War Sutler Tokens and Cardboard Scrip*, 1983.

ENCASED POSTAGE STAMPS, 1862-1863

Fred Reed, Civil War Encased Stamps; The Issuers and Their Times, 1995; Michael J. Hodder and Q. David Bowers, The Standard Catalogue of Encased Postage Stamps, 1989; Arlie R. Slabaugh, Encased Postage Stamps U.S. and Foreign, 1967; Arthur L. Friedberg and Ira S. Friedburg, Paper Money of the United States, 15th Edition, 1998.

TRADE TOKENS, 1866-1889

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Paul A. Cunningham, Military Tokens of the United States (2 vols.), 1995-8.

COAL TOKENS, circa 1880-1951

Donald O. Edkins, W. E. Williams, and Steve Ratliff, *Edkins Catalogue of Coal Company Store Scrip*, 2nd and 3rd Eds., 1983-97 (2 vols.).

TRADE TOKENS, 1890-1900

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WOODEN NICKELS, 1931 to Date

Milton Wayne Dennis and Thomas B. Hudson, Guide Book of Wooden Money, 7th Ed., 1977.

SALES TAX TOKENS, 1933-1963

Merlin K. Malehorn and Tim Davenport, *United States Sales Tax Tokens and Stamps: A History and Catalog*, 1993; Jerry F. Schimmel, *U.S. State-Issued Sales Tax Tokens*, 2nd Ed., 1980; Michael G. Pfefferkorn and Jerry F. Schimmel, *Chits*, *Chiselers, and Funny Money*, 1977.

In addition to these major categories, catalogs have been issued for a wide variety of narrow specialties such as Ku Klux Klan tokens, car wash tokens, telephone tokens, bimetallic tokens, prison money, automatic musical instrument tokens, play money, communion tokens, soap tokens, etc., etc. Be it little or big, there are plenty of opportunities to add to the literature of American tokens.

BALTIMORE CAMERA CLUB



OBV: THE BALTIMORE CAMERA CLUB / (WASHINGTON MONUMENT) / 1884

REV: 1955 / BALTIMORE / INT. SALON'S / AWARD OF /

PHOTOGRAHIC ACHIEVEMENT

TO / VIC PAGEL /. COLOR SLIDE

A 1955 engraved award medal with loped at top made by Balfour and is 1/10 10k gold filled

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Ann Arrundell County Historical Society



Obv: ★ ANN ARRUNDELL COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY ★ MARYLAND / (revolutional soldier in center) /

Bicentennial / of the / American / Revolution

Rev: ONE SHILLING 1783 / 1975 / (reeds and 2 ducks)

round bronze 38mm

The Ann Arrundell County Historical Society (AACHS) has operated for over 50 years as a non-profit society for the preservation of the history of that area. Their collection of artifacts is held at the Benson-Hammond House that was built about 1820. The spelling of name for the society is correct. In 1850, the Maryland Colony was named for the wife of Lord Baltimore. She was named of Ann Arrundell.

NTCA IDENTIFIES TWO NEW BALTIMORE BUSINESS CARDS

by Ed Craig LM-22

When I received my latest copy of the NTCA publication "Talkin Tokens", I was pleasantly surprised to find an article: "PUNCHLINES: A Pair of Baltimore Discovery Pieces by Bill Groom". I was very excited and interested. It proved to be worth the read for sure and I wanted to share this with MD TAMS members. Mr. Groom showed pictures of two counter stamped coins which he says "don't look very appealing. Both coins are low grade, and their respective counterstamps are simply surnames. The lack of initials and other identifying clues suggest attribution is a seemingly impossible task."

Groom talks about his research process. He notes that neither of these maverick counter stamps was known to either Rulau or Brunk. He also notes that the fonts are only about 2mm in size, being relatively small in stature. He believed that with the small size of the stamp, it suggested that each stamp was likely applied to a small product. Very often, if we suspect a counter stamp to be from Baltimore, we go to the registry of silversmiths. Groom did this with no luck. He also checked watchmakers, cutlers, instrument makers, etc. Still no success.

He hit paydirt when he looked into Craig's Daguerreian Registry website. No relation to me whatsoever. He found both counter stamps there in this photography site. What a find. The two counter stamps were "Pollack" and "Whitehurst". Both were small, using the 2mm font. The stamps were small since they were used on relatively small picture frames. Groom shows both the coins and the picture frames from each merchant. The Pollack coin is a US Large cent from the 1800's and the Whitehurst coin is an Indian Head Cent. Groom's article shows both the business card coins and the pictures from each Baltimore merchant. We now have two new Baltimore, Maryland merchants (photographers) and their counter stamped business card coins. Groom goes on to say both coins were found in the Baltimore area as was one of the pictures. Apparently, as Groom states, many early photographers applied small surname stamps to their work, artist's signatures of sorts, punched into the brass frames. Obviously, these same stamps were used on coins to serve as merchant business cards.

Groom states that "Henry Pollock, born 1810 in Washington, D.C., first appeared in Baltimore about 1848. Between 1850 and 1867, his shop was located at 155 Baltimore Street. This period is most likely when the above baby photo was taken and the coin stamped. He exhibited a collection of his daguerreotypes at a NY exhibition in 1852. Henry continued working as a photographer in Baltimore into 1889; this, possibly being the year of his demise." Groom shows a framed picture of Robert E. Lee taken by Pollack in 1869.

Groom also tells us that "Jesse Harrison Whitehurst, 1819-75, was born in Princess Anne County, Virginia. He was reportedly trained in the daguerreotype process in 1843 in NY City. That same year, he opened his first photographic gallery in Norfolk, Virginia." By the 1850's, his business had expanded to more than eight locations. He was prolific in producing daguerreotype images. Groom says that based on an ad in The Daguerreian Journal in January 1851, it appears Baltimore was a primary location. In the years following, Jesse's galleries occupied many addresses along Baltimore Street in Baltimore City.

The National Token Collectors Association (NTCA) is a great source of hobby information. You may want to look into joining. I want to thank Mr. Bill Groom for his fantastic article and great research.



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